THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI SUKH RAM) : (a) The details of the subsidy borne by the Central Government on account of supply of rice through fair price shops in Andhra Pradesh during 1988-89 and 1989-90 are as under ;

(Qty. : Lakh tonnes)
(Amt. : Rs. Crores)

Year	PDS/NREP/RLEGP		I.T.D.P.		Total		%of total subsidy on rice
	Qty.	Amt.	Qty.	Amt.	Qty.	Amt.	
1988-89 (RE)	7.45	76.65	0.85	17.89	8.30	94.54	9.34
1989-90 (BE)	7.05	74.11	0.85	18.08	7.90	92.19	9.41

(b) and (c) Department of Food and Food Corporation of India have not received any samples of rice being supplied to tribes in Andhra Pradesh.

(d) and (e) The allocations of foodgrains from the Central Pool are only supplemental to open market availability and are made on a month to month basis taking into account the overall availability of stocks in the Central Pool, relative needs of various States, market availability and other related factors. Andhra Pradesh has been allocated 5·6 lakh tonnes of rice from January to August, 1989. The State lifted 4·33 lakh tonnes of rice from January to June, 1989.

Danish aided project for the development of agriculture in tribal areas

3221. SHRI JAGADISH JANI : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether a Danish aided pilot project has been introduced in the country for the development of Agriculture in the tribal areas of some states;

(b) if so, the name of the states where such Danish aided pilot project has been introduced; and

(c) the details of the Agricultural development programme undertaken under the Danish aided programme ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHAYAM LAL YADAV) : (a) to (c) No Danish aided pilot project/programme has been introduced for the development of agriculture in the tribal areas of any state in the country.

Fresh appointments in NAFED

3222. SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the fresh appointments both ad hoc casual made in each of the offices/branches and units of NAFED from 1st April, 1988 to till date stating the names of the persons appointed, qualifications, experience, salaries and places of their postings, the State of their origin and the date of their joining ;

(b) the date when applications for these appointments were invited and whether any selection committee was set up for making the appointments;

(c) what is the sanctioned and actual strength of the employees in the categories in the offices/ branches and units of NAFED;

(d) whether any prescribed procedure and norms of Recruitment and Promotion rules are adhered to and what are the reasons for violation, if any;

(e) whether Board of Directors or Chief Executive Officer of NAFED or both are responsible for the lapses in appointments; and

(f) if so, what action Government propose to take in the matter.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) to (f) National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Ltd. (NAFED) is national level federation registered under the Multi-State Cooperative Societies Act, 1984. It is an Autonomous Organisation competent to take decisions on the matter relating to appointment of Staff. The information sought in the Question relates to the internal working of the organisation which does not come within the purview of the Government. However, NAFED has made 45 casual appointments in all categories in various offices of NAFED since April, 1, 1988. Against the sanctioned strength of 1645 posts, 1303 employees are in position in various categories. The Staff regulations provide for appointment on ad-hoc basis on short term vacancies. There is no provision for constituting Selection Committee etc. for such appointments. Even while recruiting casual/ad-hoc employees, prescribed qualifications are adhered to.

अनुसूचित जातियों/अनुसूचित जनजातियों के कल्याण कार्यक्रम को लागू करने हेतु उत्तर प्रदेश में संस्थानों को दिए गए अनुदान

3223. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय :** क्या कल्याण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या अनुसूचित जातियों और अनुसूचित जनजातियों के कल्याण संबंधी कार्यक्रम को लागू करने के लिए उत्तर प्रदेश में कुछ संस्थाओं को अनुदान दिए गये हैं और यदि हां, तो उनका ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(ख) इस प्रकार के कार्यक्रम की क्या उपलब्धियां रहीं ?

कल्याण मंत्रालय की राज्य मंत्री (डा० राजेन्द्र कुमारी वाजपेयी) : (क) जी, हां। स्वैच्छिक संगठनों को सहायता की केन्द्रीय योजना के अन्तर्गत वर्ष 1988-89 के दौरान उत्तर प्रदेश में दो स्वैच्छिक संगठनों को अनुसूचित जातियों तथा अनुसूचित जनजातियों के कल्याण के कार्यक्रमों को कार्यान्वित करने के लिए सहायक अनुदान मंजूर किया गया था। ब्यौरे विवरण में दिए गये हैं।

(ख) योजनाएं, चूंकि, 1988-89 के अंतिम 6 महीनों के दौरान ही मंजूर की गई थीं। अतः उनकी उपलब्धियों को निर्धारित करने का समय अभी नहीं आया है।